



COLORADO

Division of Reclamation,
Mining and Safety

Department of Natural Resources
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

April 17, 2017

Jeffery S. Forrest
Amazonite Mining, LLC
8057 S. Vermejo Peak
Littleton, CO 80127

**RE: Incompleteness Notice; 110(2) Hardrock Application
Forrest Mining Project; File No. M-2017-012**

Dear Mr. Forrest,

On April 6, 2017, the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety (Division) received the 110(2) Limited Impact Operation Reclamation Permit Application for the Forrest Mining Project, File No. M-2017-012. Review of this application determined the following items must be received before the Division can consider the application as being submitted/filed and the technical review can begin. Please respond to this Incompleteness Notice with the requested additional/updated information on permit replacement pages and summarize each response in a cover letter titled "Incompleteness Response; M-2017-012".

APPLICATION FORM

1. Page 1 of the application lists "Amazonite Mining, LLC" as the Applicant/Operator, the same as listed on the correspondence page (page 2), as well as the Secretary of State's website business search. However, the certification page, lists the applicant/Operator as "Amazonite Mining". Since this is required to remain consistent, please submit a new executed certification page (page 7 of the application) showing the correct name of the Applicant/Operator.

EXHIBIT I - Proof of Filing with County Clerk (Rule 6.3.9):

2. Proof of filing with the local County Clerk was not included with the application materials. In accordance with Rule 6.3.9, please submit an affidavit or receipt indicating the date on which the application was placed with the local County Clerk and Recorder for public review, pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(1)(c).
3. Any changes or additions to the application on file with the Division, must also be reflected in the public review copy in accordance with Rule 1.6.2(2). Please submit proof that the public review copy has been updated or a copy of the response to this Incompleteness Notice has been added to it.



EXHIBIT J - Proof of Mailing of Notices to Board of County Commissioners and Soil Conservation District with County Clerk (Rule 6.3.10):

4. Proof of noticing the local Soil Conservation Service was not included with the application materials. In accordance with Rule 6.3.10, please submit proof that notice of the permit application was sent to the local Soil Conservation District, pursuant to Rule 1.6.2(1)(a)(ii). The Division has enclosed the Board approved form needed for notification to the local Soil Conservation District (this form is PDF page 13 of the 110(2) application packet which can also be found on the Division's website).

Your 110(2) Limited Impact Operation Reclamation Permit Application will not be considered submitted/filed until the information listed above is received and found sufficient to begin our review. A decision date will be established 30 days from the date of receipt and acceptance of all of the requested information. Additionally, if you have already published notice you will need to republish notice, but only after the Division considers the application submitted; the Division will notify you when you should initiate publication of your notice. This notice must be published once within ten (10) days of the date your application is considered submitted. The final date for receiving comments is the 10th day after the publication or the next regular business day.

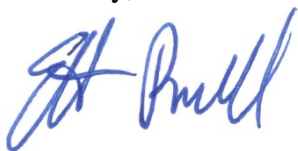
Pursuant to Rule 1.4.1(8), you have sixty (60) days from the date of this letter to submit all necessary documents that the Division needs for an application to be considered filed. If, at the end of the sixty day period, the application has not been determined to be filed with the Division, the Division shall deny the conversion application and terminate the revision.

The response to this Incompleteness Notice is due on or before June 16, 2017.

This letter shall not be interpreted to mean that there are no other completeness issues or technical deficiencies in your application. The Division will review your application to determine whether it is adequate to meet the requirements of the Act after submittal of all required items.

If you need additional information or have any questions, please contact me at Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, CO 80203, by telephone at **303-866-3567 x8132**, or by email at elliott.russell@state.co.us.

Sincerely,



Elliott R. Russell
Environmental Protection Specialist

Enclosure: Soil Conservation District Notice Form

Cc: Jeffery L. Otten, Amazonite Mining, LLC, 4175 County Road 5, Divide, CO 80814
Wally Erickson; Division of Reclamation, Mining & Safety